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**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00580100** 

REFERENCE: OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (07/01/2018 - 09/30/2018)

Dear Mr. Furman:

This statement is in response to the Commission's letter to the Committee dated November 12, 2018, regarding two items related to the above-referenced report ('the Original Report').

First, the Commission's letter requests clarification on contributions from 145 contributors disclosed on the Original Report that appear to exceed federal contribution limits. As described below, all of those contributions were properly and timely redesignated, reattributed, refunded/charged back, or returned to a joint fundraising committee ('JFC') in which the Committee participates for proper reallocation, as will be reflected on either the Amended 2018 October Quarterly Report being filed concurrently with this response ('the Amended Report') or the Committee's upcoming 2018 Year-End Report:

- Sixty-eight of the listed contributors' contributions were redesignated to another election.
- Six of the listed contributors' contributions were either refunded or charged back to the contributor's credit card.
- Fifty-two of the listed contributors' contributions were made by contributors who had contributed to the Committee but subsequently made additional contributions to either Trump Victory (C00618389) or Trump Make America Great Again Committee (C00618371) JFCs in which the Committee participates which transferred the contributions to the Committee. Any excessive contributions that resulted from funds received through a JFC distribution have been returned to the JFC for reallocation among its participants in accordance with the allocation formula set forth in the governing joint fundraising agreement. The reallocations will be disclosed by the relevant JFC on the appropriate report.
- Finally, nineteen of the listed contributors' contributions were in part (i) redesignated to another election and (ii) either (a) refunded or (b) returned to the JFC that transferred the contributions to the Committee to be reallocated by that JFC among its participants in accordance with the allocation formula set forth in the governing joint fundraising agreement. The refunds or reallocations will be disclosed by the relevant committee on the appropriate report.

Second, in regard to the disbursements to federal candidate committees, the state, office sought, and district (if applicable) has been updated in the Amended report.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions.

Sincerely, Bradley T. Crate Treasurer